



October 2011

Dear State of California Retiree/Annuitant,

Keep enjoying your vision benefits.

As a State Retiree/Annuitant, you don't have to do a thing to keep your VSP® Vision Care coverage for 2012.

You'll automatically be re-enrolled and continue to enjoy:

- **Savings.** As a member, you'll save an average of over \$300 by enrolling in VSP.
- **Quality care and service.** Neighborhood private practice doctors, personalized care you can trust, and the latest eyewear too.
- **Effortless.** At your appointment tell them you have VSP. No ID card is needed.
- **Guaranteed.** You'll be 100% happy or we'll make it right.

Open Enrollment is October 10 - November 4, 2011. Your coverage will be effective January 1, 2012.

Want to make a change or cancel your coverage?

No problem. Choose one of the following options during the open enrollment period:

- **Online:** Visit VSP at vsp.com/go/stateofca and complete the online enrollment form.
- **Phone:** Call VSP at 800.877.7195 and speak to a member services representative.
- **Hours:** Monday – Friday, 5:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.; Saturday, 6:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.; Pacific Time.
- **Mail:** Complete and mail the enclosed VSP Enrollment/Change Form in the postage-paid return envelope.

Your vision can last a lifetime with VSP eyecare.

Sincerely,

VSP Client Administrative Services

Keep your eyes healthy with The State of California and VSP® Vision Care.

Your eyes deserve the best care to keep them healthy year after year. Plus with VSP, you'll get a great value on your eyecare and eyewear.

You'll like what you see with VSP.

- **Personalized Care.** You'll get quality care that focuses on your eyes and overall wellness with VSP. Plus, your satisfaction is guaranteed when you see a VSP doctor.
- **Great Eyewear.** Choose the eyewear that's right for you and your budget.
- **Choice of Providers.** With open access to see any eyecare provider, you can see the one who's right for you. Choose a VSP Select Network doctor or any other provider.

Save with VSP coverage:*	Without VSP Coverage	With VSP Coverage
Eye Exam	\$140	\$10 Copay
Frame	\$75	\$25 Copay
Bifocal Lenses	\$139	
Transitions® Lenses	\$104	\$0
Retiree-only Annual Premium	N/A	\$91
Total	\$458	\$126

*Comparison based on national averages for comprehensive eye exams and most commonly purchased brands.

Average
Annual Savings
\$332
with a
VSP Doctor

Making a change is easy.

Choose one of these convenient options:

- **Online:** Visit VSP at vsp.com/go/stateofca and complete the online enrollment form.
- **Phone:** Call VSP at **800.877.7195** and speak with a member services representative, Pacific Time, Monday - Friday, 5:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.; Saturday, 6:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
- **Mail:** Complete and mail the enclosed VSP Enrollment Form in the postage-paid return envelope.

Choice in Eyewear

From classic styles to the latest designer frames, you'll find hundreds of options for you and your family. Choose from great brands, like bebe®, Calvin Klein, Disney, FENDI, Nike, and Tommy Bahama®.

Enroll in VSP today.
You'll be glad you did.
vsp.com/go/stateofca
800.877.7195

Your VSP Vision Benefits Summary

The State of California and VSP provide you with an affordable eyecare plan.

Open Enrollment: October 10 - November 4, 2011 • Coverage Effective: January 1, 2012

VSP Doctor Network: VSP Select

Visit vsp.com for more details on your vision benefit and for exclusive savings and promotions for VSP members.

Benefit	Description	Copay	Frequency
Your Coverage with a VSP Doctor			
WellVision Exam®	Focuses on your eyes and overall wellness	\$10	Every calendar year
Prescription Glasses		\$25	See Frame and Lens
Frame	• \$75 allowance for a wide selection of frames		Every calendar year
Lenses	• Single vision, lined bifocal, and lined trifocal lenses		
Lens Options	• Tints, including photochromic lenses	\$0	Every calendar year
Contacts (instead of glasses)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$110 allowance for eye exam, contacts and contact lens exam (fitting and evaluation) • 15% off contact lens exam (fitting and evaluation) 		Every calendar year
Extra Savings and Discounts	Laser Vision Correction <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Average 15% off the regular price or 5% off the promotional price; discounts only available from contracted facilities. 		
Your Monthly Contribution	\$ 7.53 Retiree-only \$ 14.62 Retiree + One Dependent \$ 15.73 Retiree + Family		

Your Coverage with Other Providers

Visit vsp.com for details, if you plan to see a provider other than a VSP doctor.

Exam..... up to \$35	Single Vision Lenses..... up to \$25	Lined Trifocal Lenses..... up to \$50	Tints..... up to \$5
Frame..... up to \$40	Lined Bifocal Lenses..... up to \$50	Progressive..... up to \$50	Contacts..... up to \$110

VSP guarantees service from VSP doctors only. Coverage information is subject to change. In the event of a conflict between this information and your organization's contract with VSP, the terms of the contract will prevail.



Keep your eyes healthy and your vision clear with VSP.